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TO: ALL PERSONS, FIRMS, AND CORPORATIONS engaged in the business of leasing or renting tangible personal property in the **City of Saraland**, Alabama, and its police jurisdiction (located in Mobile County).

On September 15, 2006, the governing body of the City of Saraland adopted Ordinance No. 731 levying a rental tax **effective November 1, 2006**, that will be administered by the Alabama Department of Revenue. Your first rental tax return filed with the Alabama Department of Revenue will be for the month of November 2006 and is due on or before December 20, 2006.

This ordinance levies a rental tax on the gross proceeds derived by the lessor from the renting or leasing of the following:

Rental Tax Rates:

Lease or rental of tangible personal property.....	3%
Lease or rental of automotive vehicles, truck trailers, semi-trailers and house trailers	3%
Lease or rental of linens and garments.....	3%

If rentals/leases are made to lessees outside the corporate limits of the City of Saraland but within the police jurisdiction, the rates of tax are one-half of those stated above.

The law requires that City of Saraland rental tax be collected, reported and remitted in the same manner as the state rental tax. When you file and pay electronically, the City of Saraland rental tax is to be included on the electronic city/county tax return assigned to you (City and County Tax Return, form 9501). Simply enter the gross amount and deductions, and all calculations will be done automatically for you. You may file these taxes online through the Internet at www.revenue.alabama.gov/salestax/efiling.html, or by telephone by calling toll free **1-800-828-1727**. Telephone-filers should use Locality Code 9758.

Please direct all questions regarding the City of Saraland rental tax to this office:

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